

--54. (New) A composition according to claim 53, wherein the buffering agent comprises an organic acid and/or an inorganic acid, or an alkali metal salt thereof.--

--55. (New) A composition according to claim 53, wherein the buffering agent comprises citric acid or an alkali metal salt thereof.--

Al --56. (New) A composition according to claim 53, wherein the cyclodextrin-compatible antimicrobial active comprises a quaternary compound.--

--57. (New) A composition according to claim 53, wherein the cyclodextrin-compatible antimicrobial active comprises di(C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>)alkyl dimethyl ammonium chloride.--

--58. (New) A composition according to claim 51, having a pH of about 7.--

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